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TESTIMONY OF PRESIDENT SOULEE STROUD

#### **House Resolution 62/House Concurrent Resolution 88**

Urging the Department of Land and Natural Resources to Review the Natural Resources Marine Management Rules, Conduct New Public Hearings on the Rules, Consult with Native Hawaiian People and Determine the Relevance and Applicability of the Rules to Place-Based management for Purposes of Enhancing Voluntary Compliance and Public Participation in Marine Resource Management

## HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS Wednesday, March 21, 2012; 9:00 am; Room 329

Aloha Madam Chair Hanohano, Vice Chair Lee and members of the House Committee on Hawaiian Affairs. The Association of Hawaiian Civic Clubs supports this resolution that is similar to one that was introduced, discussed and voted upon at our convention of 2011 as Resolution 11-38.

Our members believe that the process suggested, as with several other bills and resolutions in this legislative session, recognizes the need to take a fresh look at rules and regulations, processes and procedures of a number of State departments. Reviewing and bringing rules up to date as they are needed, and including the community whenever possible will lend credibility to the new administration. A trust relationship needs to be established between the DLNR and the public leading to the next step of participation and compliance in Marine Resource Management.

We urge passage of this resolution.

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# STATE OF HAWAII DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES

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Testimony of WILLIAM J. AILA, JR. Chairperson

Before the House Committee on HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS

Wednesday, March 21, 2012 9:00 AM State Capitol, Conference Room 329

In consideration of
HOUSE RESOLUTION 62/ HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 88
URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES
TO REVIEW THE NATURAL RESOURCES' MARINE MANAGEMENT RULES,
CONDUCT NEW PUBLIC HEARINGS ON THE RULES, CONSULT WITH NATIVE
HAWAHAN PEOPLE, AND DETERMINE THE RELEVANCE AND APPLICABILITY
OF THE RULES TO PLACE-BASED MANAGEMENT FOR PURPOSES OF
ENHANCING VOLUNTARY COMPLIANCE AND PUBLIC PARTICIPATION IN
MARINE RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

House Resolution 62 and House Concurrent Resolution 88 urges the Department of Land and Natural Resources (Department) to conduct public hearings on rules already adopted, for the purposes of consulting with native Hawaiians and determining if the rules may be applied in a place-based management scheme. The Department has concerns with these measures.

The public rule making process, by law, already provides the public the opportunity to participate in natural resource management discussion. Native Hawaiians are among those who have regularly participated in this process. Lastly, the requirement to hold new public hearings on all rules would be a tremendous burden, given the Department's current funding and staffing limitations. It is not clear that such an effort would result in comprehensive changes to existing rules or that native Hawaiians would be more involved in a process where they already have participated and continue to participate.

The Department is supportive of place-based resource management in communities that share this interest and will continue to work with these communities through already established programs to encourage and enhance this resource management tool.



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